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Domencio Nocchia, an old brigand

years in prison, was recently liberated in Italy. He is 83 years old. THE Rothschilds, once boycotted every reigning family, are now received with the utmost distinction at every court in Europe except Austria.

THE Pennsylvania railroad ran train from Jersey City to Washington, a distance of 228 miles, in 251 minutes. The time was seven minutes faster than the previous fastest run.

THERE are five hundred missionaries n Africa, and the professed converts number more than twenty-five thousand a year. Two hundred white and colored martyrs have lost their lives.

YOUR Pacific slope Mongolian must be a thrifty chap. The steamer Oceanic, sailing the other day, took over eight hundred Chinese who were going home to the flowery kingdom to spend the

PROF. HOWLAND, of Johns Hopkins university, has invented a machine that will draw fifty thousand parallel lines to the inch with perfect regularity. Its great value will be to astronomers for uling speculum metals

Gov. Jones, the head of the Choctaw nation, is a pacific savage, clad in store clothes. He wears a stubby gray mus-tache, a portentous watch chain and a diamond pin nestling in a sky blue cravat. He talks very little English.

JERRY WALLACE, a farmer of River-dale, Ga., while carrying a sack of apples from his wagon to the store, over balanced himself and broke his neck. The moral of this is that the honest farmer should always let his wife car-ry the apples.

THE American colony in Rome numbers nearly two thousand members, though this number fluctuates with the changing seasons. Among the Americans who have become permanent residents of the Eternal City are Story, the sculptor, and the banker Hooker.

Geonge JAYNES, who lives near Gainesville, Mo., raises rattlesnakes for their oil, which he sells at about ne dollar a pint to wholesale druggists for liniments. "Snaky George" has about ten thousand of the reptiles on his place, and kills two thousand a year.

Tur earl of Dudley holds the largest being for \$6,000,000. Second in the list, it is said, comes Mr. Wanamaker, whose policies of \$5,250,000 exceed that of the czar of all the Russias by \$250,000. Fourth comes the prince of Wales, whose life is insured for \$2,-

VERMONT is not much of a manuacturing state. It produces marble, horses, maple sugar, wool and other farm products. It has manufactures Shop on Main street, one door south of the 332,000 in number, have \$18,302,000 on deposit in savings banks, and the increase in these deposits last year was \$72,792

George W. Allen, better known as poorhouse. He spent a handsome forfore the people, and many thousands owe their beautiful homes to his untir-ing labors. His original hill of 1863 has been many times amended, but its principles have been preserved. Now that he is dead there is a movement to

raise a monument to his memory. A wost remarkable alliance between two families is reported from the parish of St. Marie Beauce, Can. Two respectable farmers named Rheaume and Morin had each eight children, four sons and four daughters. Rheaume's four sons married Morin's four daughters, and the four sons of the latter joined their fortunes to the four daughters of the former. The offspring of the first four unions up to date number thirty-nine and of the lat-

er thirty-five children. MR. PHILIP H. STERNBERGH, of Readng. Pa., has married the sister of his father's wife, and there is a great deal of speculation as to the curious compliations of relationship that will arise. Young Mr. Sternbergh, in the first place, is his wife's nephew; by mar-riage he is his father's brother in law, his own uncle, as well as an uncle to his brothers and sisters, and his father's nephew. He will be uncle and great-uncle to his own children, and is brother in law to his wife.

SPEAKING of the decision annulling the charitable provisions of the Ogden will and the Tilden will, the New York man wishes to trust his chosen friends with the spending of his money after bis death he should have a legal right to do so. But by the law of New York that privilege is denied. The theory of the law is that the trustees may abuse the trust confided to them. That, however, is the business of the testator, not the courts. If he is willing to confide in his trustees no one

DR. WALTER WYMAN, supervising service, in his annual report, states that 52,992 sailors were treated in the various marine hospitals and dispensaries of the service during the fiscal year 1891. One thousand three hundred and thirty-three surfmen and keepers of the life saving service were examined physically, of which number fifty-nine were rejected for disease or disability; 1,182 pilots were examined for color blindness, of which number twentynine were rejected: 243 seamen were examined for enlistment in the marine service and thirty-eight rejected.

COMMODORE THEODORE WILSON, chief of the bureau of construction, in his annual report to the secretary of the navy says that the old wooden vessels of the navy are rapidly disappearing from active service, only twelve now being available for cruising purposes. Concerning the vessels of new construc-tion he speaks of the usefulness of torpedo cruisers. Appropriations are rec-ommended as follows: \$25,000 for the Portsmouth (N. H.) navy yard; \$150,000 for the New York navy yard; \$44,000 for the League Island (Pa.,) navy yard; \$45,000 for the Norfolk, Va., and \$100,000 for the Mare Island navy yards.

A RECENT traveler in Cuba reports country have holes in them. Most of ters. The perforation is done to keep this kind of money in the coun-

Epitome of the Week.

INTERESTING NEWS COMPILATION.

FROM WASHINGTON. TREASURER NEBEKER in his a mual

report to Secretary Foster on the operations and condition of the treasury says the net ordinary revenues of the government for the past fiscal year were \$302,612,447.31, or \$10,468,505.32 less than those of the year before. The net ordinary expenditures, ex-clusive of the amounts paid in premium

on bonds purchased, were \$555,372. killed three men and demolished the 684.74. The postal revenues amounted building. to \$65,762,908.55 and the expenditures to \$72,667,589.65. The reduction ef-fected during the year in the principal of the bonded debt was \$116,590,27%. The amount of money in circulation was \$1,676,078,102. The disbursements during the year were \$731,126,376,22, leaving a balance of \$726,232,332.60. COMPTROLLER LACY in his annual re-

port shows that during the year ended October 31 last 193 new banks were organized, with an aggregate capital of \$20,700,000. The number of banks in operation v.as 3,694, having in capital operation v.as 3.694 having in capital prominent citizen of Caswell county, stock 5684,753,865. The affairs of 102 N. C., confessed that he killed Senator nsolvent banks were finally closed. In his annual report Commodore Fol-ger, chief of the bureau of ordnance.

stimates the expense of the bureau for the next fiscal year at \$4.780,291, of which total the sum of \$4.186,250 is to be applied toward armament of new POSTWASTER GENERAL WANAMAKER

n his annual report shows that, in spite of the fact that over \$1,000,000 worth of lottery revenue has been lost during the last year, the postal deficit of \$6,000,000 is surely disappearing. Mr. Wanamaker favors postal telegraph, telephones and a postal savings system, and thinks penny post-age will be demanded in the near future, and shows how newspapers may be transported free from July 1.

THE business failures in the United States during the seven days ended on the 4th numbered 230, against 295 the preceding week and 312 for the corresponding week last year.

responding week ast year.

In his annual report to the secretary
of the many Paymaster General Stewart says that the growth of the navy
has called for expenditures of \$3,500. 600 at shore stations during the fiscal

nator from Vermont Secretary Procor severed his connection with the war

THE EAST. THE launch of the new erniser New York took place at Cramp's shipyard in 120.
Philadelphia in the presence of Secretary Tracy and other distinguished with

THE Clinton dynamite works at

operator who was thrown from his failing. orse and killed, carried life insurance f S500,000.

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Dodge tions of railways and other large con-

the D. J. Boyce estate in Plainfield, greatly terrifying the inhabitants. N. J., enused a loss of \$150,000.

Is New York H. D. Wilson entered United States. Russeil Sage's office and demanded a million dollars. On being refused Wilson threw a dynamite bomb, injuring
Mr. Sage and five other persons, and killing Benjamin F. Morton, a clerk,

and himself. PROPERTY Worth \$100,000 in the Comberland valley in Pennsylvania was ruined by the wind and damage was

at Croton point and twenty persons were drowned.

The Nail & Iron Company at Beliefonte, Pa., suspended with liabilities Ix November last 29,205 immigrants landed at the port of New York, against 32,144 during the same time

the previous year. WEST AND SOUTH.

In his message to the Virginia legislature Gov. McKinney urged that the railroads be forced to provide separate oaches for negroes. THE safe of the Hopkins county (Ky.)

bank at Madisonville was robbed by burglars of \$6,000. In Detroit George J. Reis, a grocerynan, his wife and three sons were smothered to death by the destruction of their store and dwelling by fire.

In Chicago thirteen alleged an-archists were fined from \$10 to \$100 each by Justice Woodman. In Kansas City, Kan., a new band of holiness has been organized which has fixed the end of the world to come off

Christmas day of this year.

In Minneapolis the first attempt in the history of the country to afford relief to the famine-stricken peasantry of Russia has originated. The scheme is to send a shipload of flour to Russia by the middle of next January, and the 5,000 merchant millers of America are to be asked to help.
A SOLDIER named Frank Palmer, who

murdered Tremaine, an Indian scout, near Fort Sully, S. D., in 1878, was A TRAIN on the East Tennessee, Vir-

ginia & Georgia road near Rome, Ga., was held up by robbers who secured \$1,000 from the express car. By the upsetting of a lamp Mrs. George Martin and her son, aged 1% years, were burned to death at Denver,

DURING the absence of Mrs. Clement Kitts, of Lima, O., the house caught fire and her two little children were

By the capsizing of a boat four negroes were drowned in the river at Martin D. Loppy was executed in Sing Sing (N. Y.) prison, by electricity on the 7th.

AT Creston, Ia., Jasper Mans, his wife and their two children were fatalburned by a gasoline explosion in THE death of James Sanderson, who

was said to have killed 140 Indians in the last twenty years, occurred at Fort Sumner, N. M.
By the collapse of the wall of the burned building recently occupied by Farwell, Ozmun & Co., in St. Paul

nine men were killed and six injured, A BOILER explosion at Pope & Pulley's mill near Hornellsville,

EDMOND DICK TAYLOR, the father of greenback currency, an intimate per-sonal friend and adviser of President Lincoln, died at his home in Chicago aged 89 years. MR AND MRS. LEVI MILLS, an aged

couple near Liberty Center, Ia., were remated by the burning of their home. Ar Mount Vernon, Mo., Charles M. seaton was hanged for the nurder of Lewis Channel at Joplin, Mo., July 5

John W. Stephen twenty years ago. A snock of earthquake was felt at Cincinnati and windows were broken in some instances.

THE bank at Belle Center, O., was robbed of \$12,000.

Ox a trestle near Evansville, Miss., a passenger train jumped the track and fell a distance of 30 feet, injuring sixteen persons, some of them fatally.
In a fit of jealousy Prof. W. H. Me Cubbins, of Maysville, Ark. shot and killed his wife and then killed himself. DUBING the season just closed fifty-seven sailors lost their lives on the great lakes. This was the largest number of deaths of any year since the lakes were navigated.

THE cashier of the West Bend (Ia.) Exchange bank, J. M. Daniels, left town with his accounts \$15,000 short,

Fire destroyed the cotton mill at Des Moines, Ia., the only one in the state, causing a loss of \$125,000.

Is a livery-stable fire in Durange Col., thirty-four horses perished.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Ix China another rebellion has broken out, two or three important towns have been captured and hundreds of natives murdered, among them many Christian converts. FURTHER advices give the number of

deaths by the recent Japanese earthquakes as 7,560, and the injured at 10,-In Melbourne the Standard bank. with a capital of \$5,000,000, suspended EXPORTATION of tobacco from Mexico during the last fiscal year amounted

aged 51, shot his wife in Philadelphia to \$156,344.56 more than the previous and then killed himself. Ar the age of 66 years Dom Pedro, Haverstraw, N. Y., were blown up and exemperor of Brazil, died in Paris, five men were killed.

Since 1887, when Dom Pedrowas forced AT Warren, Pa., R. Blood, an oil to leave Brazil, his health had been Is Berlin influenza was so wide

eccurred at Damariscotta. Me., having cerns and with municipal and judicial passed the century mark in age by a affairs. Hospitals were crowded to passed the century mark in age by a few months. One of her sisters lived to be 192 years old.

The execution of John McManus took place at Philadelphia for the murder of Eugene Maginnis, February 21, 1890.

The firm of Geis & Co., lithographers at Boffolo, N. Y., failed, with \$475,000 and possible testers and \$875 one incorrected and burned in the towns of Tsientebang and Pingsuten.

Output Mex. a heavy shower of

nominal assets and \$275,000 liabilities at Colima, Mex., a heavy shower of FLAMES which started in a barn ad-oining the coal and lumber yard of streets and roofs of buildings and In China the imperial forces defeated In a collision on the Baltimore & the rebels in a battle near Chooyang. Ohio railroad near Pennington, N. J., Eleven hundred rebels were slaugh-three persons were killed and seven tered on the field, and those which

andly injured. were overtaken and captured were im-The total number of emigrants who land railroad at East Thompson, Conn., left Liverpool during the eleven and three men were killed and seven months ended November last was 199. 537, of whom 163,953 came to

> By an explosion of fire damp in a mine at St. Etienne, France, seventy-

our's session, during which no business was transacted, adjournment was had at 1 p. m., until 2:30 o'clock, when lone in several other places in the til the 8th, at 1:30 p. m In the house During a storm twelve barges loaded the first session of the Fifty-second conwith brick capsized in the Hudson river gress was called to order promptly at 12 o'clock noon. The roll call of the house disclosed the presence of 326 wembers out of 332. Immediately af-FLAMES among bookbindery estab-issuments in Philadelphia caused a loss 12:30, on motion of Mr. Holman, the house adjourned until noon of the 8th AFTER two years spent in taking the testimony the cases of the United States against the Bell Telephone Co. to annul the Bell patent is believed to be complete, and no more evidence will be taken for the present. No evidence tending to prove fraud has been pro-duced, and the government announcethat its cause is practically closed. It is evident that all the government hopes to do is to bring before the supreme court the Drawbaugh case one nore with the expectation that the in this case before, may give a different

The grand jury at Darlington, Wis., has found indictments against seven of the lynchers of Anton Sieboldt, the murderer. John Meighan, Sr., John Meighan, Jr., Hezekiah Andrews and Frank Bliss, of Willow Springs, have been arrested and jailed, and Barney Meighan, Francis Meighan and Alonzo Taylor are being sought for by officers

JAMES H. KELLOGG, formerly presi dent of the New York State Temperance society, suffered a stroke of apoplexy while addressing a meeting at the Emanuel Presbyterian church Rochester, N. Y., on the night of the ambulance. Deceased was aged 54 years, and was a native of Vermont.

in the Pompe mines in St. Etienne France, by which seventy-three miner perished, was caused by a failure of the ventilating apparatus. THE caucus of democratic members of the house of representatives, on the 7th, selected Hon. Charles F. Crisp, of Georgia, as their candidate for speaker,

THERE are 13,000 cases of influenza

on the thirtieth ballot.

Tue late explosion which took place

reported in Hamburg, and the death rate of the city is considerably higher owing to the prevalence of the dis-

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

Autobiographical. Missouri has four new members of cor gress. They furnish the following auto-biography to the Congressional Record: Seth W. Cobb, of St. Louis.

Seth W. Cobb, of St. Louis.
[Born in Southampton county, Va., December 5. 1828; received a common school education; joined a volunteer company from his native county in 1861, and served throughout the war in the army of Northern Virginia; removed to St. Louis in 1867 and worked as clerk in a grain commission house for three years; engaged in the same business on his own account in 1870, and has continued in that business since; has never held or sought a political office; was elected to the Fifty-second congress as a democrat, receiving 16,5% votes, against 6,00% for T. J. Prosser, republican; 126 votes for Bauer, union labor candidate, and 317 votes for Thomas Field, prohibitionist.]

Sam Byrns, of Potosi.

[Bore on a farm in Jefferson county, Mo. March 4, 1868; received a good English education; studied law and was admitted to the bar of Missouri at Hillsboro in 1872; was appointed in 1872 collector of revenue for Jefferson county; was nominated by the democratic convention in 1876 presidential elector for the Fifth congressional district; was elected in 1876 a member of the Twenty-ninth general assembly to represent Jefferson county; was a member of the committee on judiciary; was a lected state senator for the Twenty-shith senatorial district in 1878, and was chairman of the committee on criminal jurisprudence; was a member of the democratic state contral committee from 1886 to 1888; was democratic presidential elector for the Tenth congressional district in 1886; was elected to the Fifty-second congress as a democrat, receiving 18,744 votes, against 18,005 votes for Wm. M. Kinsey, republican.]

David A. De Armond, of Butler.

[Born in Blair county, Pa., March 18, 1844; was Sam Byrns, of Potosi.

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[Born in Blair county, Pa., Marchite, 1844; was
brought up on a farm; educated in the common
schools and at Williamsport Dickinson seminary; was presidential elector in 1884; was state
senator, circuit judge and Missauri supremecount commissioner; was elected to the Fiftysecond congress as a democrat, receiving 21,554
votes, against 14,441 votes for George M. Wikoff,
union labor, and 210 votes for V. B. Whisker,
wyshibitionist.

Marshal Arnold, of Benton, Marshal Arnold, of Benton.
[Born in St. Francois county, Mo., October 21, 1845; was efficated in the common schools; was professor in Arcadia college in 1870 and 1871; has been deputy clerk of the circuit, county and probate courts in St. Francois county, Mo.; was prosecuting attorney of Scott county, Mo.; was prosecuting attorney of Scott county, Mo.; served two terms in the legislature of Missouri; was presidential elector on the Hancock ticket; was elected as a democrat to the Fifty-second congress, receiving 19,331 votes, against 13,457 votes for J. W. Bogers, requiblican.]

Pulled Out of a 40-Foot Well. The other night Miss Susie O'Brien, of Moberly, fell into a well, which is said to be forty feet deep, with twenty feet of water. As she was going down she gave a scream which brought to her assistance the occupants of the house, who, as soon as possible, lowered a rope to the unfortunate girl. She claims to have struck the bottom of the well, and coming out of the water clung tight to the rock wall until she caught hold of the rope, where she clung until landed safely out of the well. The girl after first began to realize her condition at the bottom of a 40-foot well, and only then became frightened. She escaped

Perished in the Flames At 12 o'clock the other night the resi dence of S. M. Fry, seven miles southwest of Springfield, on the Galena road.

Was burned and Miss Minda Payne, 18
Tugboat No. 2
Tugboat No. 3
Tugboat No. 3 years old, perished in the flames. The house was two story, and the fire originated in the room occupied by Miss Payne, up-stairs. Several other members of the family barely escaped the fate of Miss Payne. The house was in full blaze before the playin was given by J. B. Felly, assistant surveyor of Greene county, who happened to be spending the night there. The victim of the tragedy was Mr. Fry's nicce.

Death of Col. W. R. Penick. Col. William R. Penick dropped dead nt St. Joseph of heart disease. at St. Joseph of neart disease.

[He was a prominent antagonist of Todd,
Quantrell and other bushwhackers during the
war, and as colonel of the Fifth Missouri cavalry he struck terror into the hearts of many a
northwest Missourian. Penick was born on the
Platte purchase in 1800, and was in the wholesale
drug business until a few years ago, when he
failed. Since that time he has gained a liveli-

hosd as a pension agent, and by the manufacture of a corn salve. He was a bigh mason, having taken thirty two degrees. He leaves a widow Missouri State Department Receipts Secretary of State Lesueur reports the receipts of the department of state

for November as follows:

Gov. Francis, Attorney - General Wood and State Treasurer Stephens, state board of fund commissioners have gone to New York on their regular semi-annual trip to inspect the bonds deposited as security for the state's money. Charged with Abduction Albert King and Lizzie Smith were

arrainged before Justice Worthen at

Kansas City, charged with the abdue-

tion of little David T. Beals, Jr. They were granted a continuance, and their cases were set for December 12. The gold brick swindle was perpe-trated at Independence by a smooth individual, who gave the name of J. C.

Lewis, and Mary C. Ford, a widow, is wiser by \$300 worth of experience. An Important Decision. preme court counties must pay \$10 per month, in advance, toward the maintenance of each boy committed by a coup-

Death of Dr. Loring. Dr. Fredrick L. Loring, a well known and highly-esteemed physician of St. leaves a widow and three children.

Gov. Francis is reported to have recently stated that he would make up his mind by January 1 in regard to an

Missouri Horticulturists. The Missouri State Horticultural sc ciety held its thirty-fourth annual meeting at Sedalia. A large quantity of choice fruit was exhibited.

Some Revenue Receipts.

The total receipts of the internal rev-

enue department in the First district of

W. H. Sternberge, of Wichita, Kas.

stone, brick, iron and wood work on the

Missouri for the month of November amounted to \$685,575.28. He Will Prosecute. Millionaire Beals of Kansas City has decided to prosecute the people who abducted his son, provided, however,

Interesting Information from Sec-

Tessels Completed Since 1885, and Vesse

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 .- Twice within the past year the attention of the peo-ple of the United States has been called to the condition of the navy by the pos-sibility of its being brought into active service against Italy in the first instance and against Chili in the second. The trouble with the latter country is still far from settled, and the annual report of the secretary of the navy will be read with interest, at least those parts of it which treat of the present and prospective strength of the navy, and the attack on the sailors in Valparaiso. The report shows that the new navy, that is, that part of the navy composed of the vessels completed since 1885, constitutes in itself a force by no means to be despised. In the following table the name, tonnage and cost of

NAME.	Tonnage	Total cost of construc-
Chicago		
Atlanta		973,383 7 966,529 3
Boston		421,994 4
Newark		1,699,851 7
Charleston		1,487,958 7
Yorktown		094,410 7
Petrel		429,310
Baltimore	4,60	1,860,688 5
Vesuvius	134	100, 476 2
Philadelphia	1 7291	1,819,000 8
San Francisco		2.011,348 0
Copcord		204,648.3
Bennington		673,321 9
Total		515,736,354 S

Name	Tonnage	Probable date of completion
Maine	61,648	1963
Perns		1894
Monterey	6,1967	1502
New York	8,150	1863
Traiser No. 6	15,0000	1893
incinnati	3,183	1993
Releigh		1905
rujaer No. 9	2,000	1900
ruiser No. 10	2,000	1499
ruler No. 11	(000)	11962
Junboat No. 3.	1,450	1966
Junboat No. 6		1 may 2
larbor defense fam	10.20	1994
ndiana Massachusetta	10.30	1991
Massachusetts		1901
regon. Tuiser No. 12		1993
Porpedo Boat No. 2	1112	Islan
Prinser No. 13	7.750	1994
	6.600	19961
Puritan a		1984
Monadnook &		1994
Perror d	3,990	THE S
Practice Cruiser	538	1902
		1992
Pugboat No.1	1000	1000

sinic. The appropriation for the corpolo cruises (SERION) was too small. It sees exertary having the sent mable within that limit.

MORE SHIPS NEEDED.

SCOTESTY TARRY missist that more ships are necessary if the United States desires to accura not retain the share of the commerce of the world. On this point he says:

The course of events during the past year has shown answ the necessity of continuing the development of the navy. The demands upon the same of the properties of the same and the same of the properties of our interests, especially in the Pacific. It was said set wo years ago by a keen foreign observer, for these or four nations in the Pacific. It was said set wo years ago by a keen foreign observer, for these or four nations in the Pacific for the same are evident on every hand of sharp competition. It is apparent that the mercanite competitors of this country are to-day entaining the same of the same properties of the same properties of the same present that the mercanite competitors of this country are to-day entail to observe the indications of a system said effort to take advantage of the disturbed conflictions now prevailing in many of the samality states. In this movement await ascendency for the second of the same competed and the same control to the retaining their states. In this movement mand ascendency for the second of the second of the same of the same control to the same of the same of the same control of the same of the

war. He favors the construction of more vessels of

retary Tracy's Annual Report.

the crowd. One of them, Petty Officer Chrisis Ringin, was stabled and left to die in the street. His companion, Tallook an apprentice, excaped, but was afterward arrested; categot in present were publish in wrists, and he was struck again and again by the policy on his was struck again and again by the policy on his was struck again and again by the policy on his was struck again how left. Finding Ringin lying helpless in the street, went to his assistance. The crowd had now left. Finding Ringin still breathing, Johnson, by teep him in his arms to carry him to a drug store feel by. At this moment again of police, with fixed beyonets, one up the street. When at close quartels they fixed at Johnson, being so near that his face was likelened by the discharge. One shot entered Riggin's lieft and shoulder, inflicting a death wound. Another shot passed through Johnson's clothes.

The after of the street car cas only one of many simultaneous stratechs made upon the Baltimore's men. The strucks lasted for an hour. They were not confined to one locality, but occurred at acceral widely aspanted points of the city. In many instances the American sufformwer in restaurants and you'd an unmering from twenty fathers and the points of the city. In many instances the American sufformwer in restaurants and you'd man numbering from twenty five by many instances the American sufformwer in restaurants and you'd man numbering from twenty fathers were placed on their writers, and in the way to treatment of the number of the police in those attacks is shown by the reports. Thrity-six of file Baltimory's men were arrested and taken to prison, being widered on the way to treatment of the number of sufferences were placed on their writes, and the proper and proper second one man, McWilliams, another apprentice. By years of age, was a proper with a support with a support with a support with a support of the wounds were near threatment with blows from maked burts, and compeled to desist.

Coal-beaver Turnbull received eighteen wounds in th

The wessels across construction, some of the second in course of construction, some of the second in course of construction, some of the second in the following table of any country in the world, are above in the following table of the second in the second in the following table of the second in the second in the following table of the second in the second in

SENATOR BRICE SWORN IN,

But Not Before Notice Touching His Eligibility Had Been Filed. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—During the presentation of credentials in the senate Mr. Sherman, referring to the eligibility of Mr. Brice as a senator from Ohio, said that before the oath of ofships these rate of force.

THE CHILLAS TROUBER.

Secretary Tracy devotes considerable space to the Chillan frouble, and gives a detailed account of the attack on the sailors of the cruiser Baltimore. Numerous accounts have been published of this incident, but this one is the result of a full and official investigation, and cottains many points which have not before cottains many points which have not before been made public. The secretary says:

Wr. Brice was administered to Mr. Brice he desired to say that the belief was enter-tained by a large part of the citizens of Ohio, that the was administered to Mr. Brice he desired to say that the belief was enter-tained by a large part of the citizens of Ohio that he was not a citizen of that state at the time of his election and therefore was not eligible. He (Mr. Sherman) was satisfied that Mr. Brice was entitled to be sworn in his prima facie credentials. They been made public. The secretary says:

At 2 p m on the 18th of October the Baltimore being then at anchor in the harber of Valparaiso, a number of seamen belonging to the ship went on shore in uniform for liberty, in accordance with the universal practice prevailing on board ships of war in foreign parts. Two weeks had passed since the surrender of Valparaiso to the congressionalist leaders, and the city was quiet. Other foreign war-ships in the harber had already given liberty to their craws, and no reason existed for withholding a like privilege from the crew of the Baltimore and been schore hours. It is the general testimony that they had been during this period, and were them, orderly, sober and well-behaved. The first encounter appears to have taken place at this time between one of the crew of the Baltimore's crew of the Baltimore's crew of the Baltimore's crew of the Baltimore and a Chillan, who spat in his face. The sailor knocked the Chillan down, and "axis immediately set upon, with his companion, another of the Baltimore's crew, by an angry crowd. The two sailors took refuge in a passing crowd. The two sai

FATAL EXPLOSION.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 8.-An explosion of gas occurred at the works of the Maryland Steel Co. Sparrow's Point, early resterday morning, and several men were injured. Three of the vic-tims have since died. Another is not expected to live. Four others were badly injured, but they are not be-lieved to be fatally hurt.

The dead are: Arthur M. Austin, 22 years old, of George Braidwood, of Baltimore; married.

John Lynch, of Sparrow's Point; un-

married.

The wounded are, Arthur Pugh, of Highlandtown, very badly burned and internally injured; Washington Sapp. brakeman of a shifting engine, struck by flying debris; Thomas Miller, colored, aged 22, of Linwood, N. C., face and hands burned; August Bell, colored, aged 25, of Montpelier, Va., face and hands burned; William Tubman, colored, aged 35, right hip broken and colored, aged 33, right hip broken and

mediate vicinity when the explosion-took place. The furnace was being blown out for repairs. Hot bricks were thrown in every direction with great force. The flames spread rapidly and enveloped some of the injured men whom the flying bricks had knocked senseless. The uninjured workmen at once went to the rescue of their co-laborers and dragged them out of fur-ther danger.

Austin was almost instantly killed.

Braidwood lingered in great agony for three hours, and Lyuch lived six hours after the accident. The cause of the explosion is not known, but it proba-bly occurred from a water pipe spring-ing a leak. The noise of the explosion was distinctly heard 3 miles away.

A jury of inquest last evening brought in a verdict that the accident was unaroidable and unaccountable, and that

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ndence Incident to the Retire-of Secretary Proctor from His a at the Head of the War De-

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.-State department officials say that the cable dis-tatch from Paris asserting that a treaty of commerce has been concluded between Germany and the United states by which the latter country exempts German beet sugar from duty and Germany gives the United States the favored nation benefit in regard to importations from the United into that country is substantially true,

It is technically incorrect to say that would require concurrence by the senan agreement under the reciprocity ause of the McKinley bill. On the 1st of January next the presilent, it is believed, will issue a most

ity arrangements thus far entered into.
The commissioners from the West In-

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dies have received assurances from Sec-retary Blaine that the president will regard to the products in which they Commissioners from Jamaica are

hourly expected here to perfect an ar-rangement similar to that entered into etween the United States and Brazil. Secretary Foster's Condition WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.-Dr. Hamilton states this morning that Secretary Foser still has fever of a low type which be had yesterday. He has no pain, but his condition has not improved since the onset of fever on Saturday. The nationt is extremly weak. Dr. G. L. Magrader became associated with Dr.

Hamilton in the case on Saturday. Wreck of the Pacific Mail's New Ship

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.-News has cific Mail's new ship Nicaragua, which San Salvador. She was built last June by the Cramps for the Central American service of the Pacific Mail, and cost \$300,000. As the company insures all its own property, this means a dead loss of that amount. The reef on which she struck extends nine miles out to sea, and as the night was clear and bright, the captain evidently mistook his